



Proclamation

LZ Michigan

Whereas, We the members of Ralph Bunche Grand Lodge and Edith Sampson Grand Chapter of International Free and Accepted Modern Masons Inc. and the Order of the Eastern Star, a non-profit organization are announcing our commitment to **LZ MICHIGAN DAY** to facilitate in establishing **RECOGNITION AND CELEBRATION OF SERVICE FOR MICHIGAN'S VIETNAM WAR VETERANS** and to **WELCOME THEM HOME**;

Whereas, **LZ MICHIGAN DAY** will establish a **STATEWIDE** focus towards "OUR VIETNAM WAR VETERANS";

Whereas, We recognize that we are One Humanity under God;

Whereas, All life is interconnected and interdependent;

Whereas, All share in the Universal bond of love;

Whereas, Love begins with service and sacrifice;

Whereas, With respect and compassion we embrace our veterans;

Whereas, Together we will honor our veterans through love and recognition;

Whereas, The, members of Ralph Bunche Grand Lodge and Edith Sampson Grand Chapter of International Free and Accepted Modern Masons, Inc. and the Order of the Eastern Star invites everyone to declare July 3, 2010 as **LZ MICHIGAN DAY**, a day of recognition, celebration and unconditional love to our veterans. **LZ MICHIGAN DAY** will act as a model for all of the states to follow, in honor and recognition of our Vietnam Veterans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, _Brother Charles Williams, Grand Master and Sister Monique Walton, Grand Matron of Ralph Bunche Grand Lodge and Edith Sampson Grand Chapter, *hereby consecrate, dedicate and proclaim July 3rd, 2010 as: LZ MICHIGAN DAY* in our organization and invite all citizens to observe this day, which honors and "Welcome Home" our Vietnam Veterans.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this day of July 3, 2010.

Ill. Charles Williams, Grand Master, 33°

Sister Monique Walton, Grand Matron